

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Christophe MALEVILLE      Confirmation No.: 7460  
Application No.: 10/619,596      Group Art Unit: 2813  
Filing Date: July 16, 2003      Examiner: J.S.J. Chen  
For: METHOD OF INCREASING THE AREA      Attorney Docket No.: 4717-5700  
OF A USEFUL LAYER OF MATERIAL  
TRANSFERRED ONTO A SUPPORT

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication dated February 26, 2007, applicant indicates that claim 31 reads on elected Species I of Group I.

No fees are believed to be due for this submission. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 9, 2007

  
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